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SCHOOL & MASS EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 20th May, 2017

S.R.O. No.237/2017— Whereas, the draft of certain rules further to amend the Odisha Aided Educational Institutions' Employees Retirement Benefit Rules, 1981, was published as required by sub-section (1) of Section 27 of the Odisha Education Act, 1969 (Odisha Act 15 of 1969), in the Extraordinary issue of the *Odisha Gazette* No.285, dated the 28th February, 2017 vide **S.R.O. No. 77/2017**, under the notification of the Government of Odisha in the School & Mass Education Department, inviting objections and suggestions from all persons likely to be affected thereby till the expiry of a period of thirty days from the date of publication of the said notification in the *Odisha Gazette*;

And, whereas, no objection or suggestion has been received on the said draft within the period so specified by the State Government;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 27 of the said Act, the State Government do hereby make the following rules further to amend the Odisha Aided Educational Institutions, Employees Retirement Benefit Rules, 1981, namely:—

1. Short title and commencement.—(1) These Rules may be called the Odisha Aided Educational Institutions, Employees Retirement Benefit (Amendment) Rules, 2017.

(2) They shall be deemed to have come into force on 1st day of September, 1988

2. In the Odisha Aided Educational Institutions' Employees Retirement Benefit Rules, 1981, for Clause (b) of sub-rule (2) of rule 8 the following clause shall be substituted, namely :—

"(b) The family of a pensioner or an employee who died on or after the first day of April, 1982 and otherwise eligible to receive pension under the Odisha Aided

Educational Institutions' Employees Retirement Benefit Rules, 1981, shall be entitled to get family pension as admissible. The financial benefit shall be made effective prospectively from the date of commencement of this amendment of the rules".

[No.8904-II-SME(B)-52/2016/SME.]

By Order of the Governor

RANJANA CHOPRA
Commissioner-*cum*-Secretary to Government